

## Send me, Lord!

**You can be one of approximately 1,500 delegates at the 2009 ABCUSA Biennial in Pasadena, California!**

You and your family can represent your church at the ABCUSA 2009 Biennial in sunny southern California in June 2009. Participate in powerful worship, share fellowship and learn about being "These Hands ... These Feet" for Christ in our ever-changing world. Be part of American Baptist history by voting on a significant restructuring proposal that will shape our denomination for a second century of success.

Talk to your pastor and church leaders—just say, "Send me"—and at this once-in-a-lifetime experience, you will ...

**WORSHIP** with internationally known speakers David Coffey, president of the Baptist World Alliance; Kirk Byron Jones, professor of Ethics and Preaching, Andover Newton Theological School; Nick Vujicic, renowned motivational speaker and president of Life Without Limbs; Robin L. Smith, national television personality, best-selling author and licensed psychologist; and others.

**SHARE** new ideas about everything from "Small Churches in Small Communities" to "Outreach to the World" along with more than a dozen other topics of interest. You can also participate in a prototype Mission Summit.

**EXPERIENCE** the work of the Lord around the world through National Ministries, International Ministries and the Office of the General Secretary; learn how to protect your staff and your church through The Ministers & Missionaries Benefit Board; celebrate at the Saturday night gala celebration, "We Are ABC: A Multi-Cultural Family Fest."

**HELP** those in need by assembling baby kits, school kits and hygiene kits at our re-visioned Mission Fair. These kits will be distributed around the world through Church World Service.

**VOTE** on the important issues before us, and know that you are making American Baptist history.

**HAVE FUN** at the many family-oriented attractions in the Pasadena area.

Begin planning to attend now. Tell your pastor or church leaders that you are willing to serve as a delegate. Go to the website at [www.abc-usa.org](http://www.abc-usa.org) and click on "more" under the Biennial paragraph. The site includes a link to the many fun activities in Pasadena.

**"I am sending you."**  
**THESE HANDS...THESE FEET**  
John 20:21

The family of American Baptist Churches USA  
will gather in Pasadena, California

**June 26-28, 2009**

for the 2009 Biennial—a multi-ethnic, cross  
cultural celebration of American Baptist mission

**Will you be there?**

